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Charleroi Suffers its Worst Fire

OPINION IS THAT POPLAR TREES MUST BE REMOVED

Citizens Talk Over Matter Before Council

WILL PREPARE ORDINANCE

Committee Instructed to Present One to Council in the Near Future

A good representation of citizens of Charleroi was present last night at the citizens' meeting in the borough building to consider the tree question in Charleroi, and the matter was discussed by them and by members of council at some length. The concensus of opinion was that the Carolina poplars which have been worknig havoc to sewers in the town, would have to go, and the ordinance committee of council was instructed to draw up an ordinance to be presented as soon as possible.

The idea seemed to prevail that for the present the Carolina poplars be allowed to stand, and that the trees be planted by property owners if they so wished At the expiration of two years of a certain time to be decided upon later the poplars will be cut down.

Borough Clerk Ira L. Nickeson was instructed to write to the State Forestry department to ascertain which are he best kind of trees for shade purposes for this section.

DISTRICT ORGANIZER SAYS HE IS POSITIVE FEEHAN IS ELECTED

George Gouzzie, a district organizer, in an intierview yesterday said he has positive information to the effect that President Francis Feehan of District No. 5, U. M. W. of A., has been re-elected by a majority of at least 4,000 as stated Thursday in the Mail' and that White has won over President Lewis by 25,000 or 30,000 majority. Mr Gouzzie accounts for White's election by the big lead the Illnois miners gave him.

WASHINGTON AVENUE MAN TAKES PRIZE

Three weeks ago, J. A. Haube, the florist, offered a large fern and brass fern dish to the person who would grow the best Chinese lily by December 15 The prize was awarded to John W. Cornell of 334 Washington avenue. Mr. Cornell has a reputation for growing this variety of lily. He won a prize several years ago offered by J. W. Berryman and Son for the best plant grown from bulbs given out by them.

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FIFTY PER CENT OF A DIVIDFND

Donora Improvement Company Has Successful Business Year

Fifty per cent of a dividend has been declared by the Donora Improvement company which owns considerable property in Donora borough. The capital stock is $5,000. The Donora Improvement has considerable to do with the improvement of Marianna. There are fifteen stockholders in the company, all of whom are well known in business circles. W. W. Lewis is president; O. G. Frazier secretary-treasurer, and the other members of the directory board are A. J. Vernon, J. Add Sprowls, W. J. Brown, F. W. Curry and D. M. Wise.

BAD WEEK FOR TOWN

Charleroi Particularly Unfortunate Past Few Days

FIRES MOST DISASTROUS

Fire wrought nearly $65,000 damage this week in Charleroi, within the past five days, two of the most disastrous blazes in its history occurring. That of this morning, when the Charleroi Automobile garage and a part of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company building were destroyed, while the fire of Tuesday when the Odbert building on Fallowfield avenue was nearly burned, was about the third most destructive fire in the history of the town. Had it not been for the brave work of the Charleroi Volunteer Fire Department, for which too much praise, cannot be said, both fires might have been much more destructive than they were. The close proximity of the Walton Lumber company to the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company made the conflagration this morning particular dangerous, and the fire Tuesday was dangerous because of the situation of the building in the main part of town.

It was only by the hardest kind of fire fighting that the firemen were able to control the flames at all this morning. Six lines of hose were strung, the Macbeth Evans Glass company supplying one strand. As on the occasion of the previous fire this week coffee was served by kind hearted persons to the firemen, for which they are particularly grateful.

The second most destructive fire in the history of the town was the Hussy-Binns fire of four years ago damage of about $25 000 or $30,000 was wrought.

L. R. Kinder left last evening for Tampa, Fla.

MORNING CONFLAGRATION DESTROYS $50,000 WORTH OF VALUABLE PROPERTY

Charleroi Foundry and Machine Company and Charleroi Automobile Company Are the Heavy Sufferers

FIVE AUTOMOBILES ENTIRELY CONSUMED

Charleroi was visited by the most disastrous and destructive fire in its history early this morning when the Charleroi Automobile company's building containing thousands of dollars worth of valuable machinery and automobiles and the larger part of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company's plant were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $50,000 or more, with the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company the biggest loser. Five automobiles were destroyed in the flames, two Humpobiles, a Jackson, a Buick and a White Steamer. The fire started from an unknown brigion.

The damage to the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company will probably reach $35,000, partly covered by insurance, and to the Automobile company the damage will be possible $15,000 or $20,000. The second floor of the autombile garage was equipped with $10,000 worth of fine machinery which was entirely destroyed and on the third floor were patterns belonging to the foundry, valued at $7,000 or $8,000 which were destroyed.

The automobiles destroyed were the Hupmobiles belonging to S. W. Sharpnack of Charleroi and John Wherry of Scenery Hill, the Buick of George Ryland, of Charleroi, a demonstrator Jackson car, and a White Steamer belonging to the automobile company. Three cars were taken from the burning building, C. W. Weltner's, Joseph Roley's and A. P Stewarts' and two standing at the upper end of the garage, the furniture truck of James Frew and the Pope-Hartford of D. M. McCloskey were not much damaged. A motor cycle belonging to William Walters was badly damaged.

The flames were discovered eating their way into the center of the two plants at about 12:15 o'clock by a night foreman at the Mcbeth-Evans glass plant. He endeavored to turn in an alarm but for some unaccountable reason was unable to make it work and after some minutes, during which time the flames gained a greater ascendancy, managed to turn in an alarm from another point The firemen were prompt in arriving on the scene, and Chief J. M. Fleming took chrage. By this time, however, there was no hope of saving the Automobile company's building and a part of the foundry structure, so attention was directed largely to keeping the flames from spreading.

The Walton Lumber company adjoining the foundry had thousands of dollars worth of lumber stored in its yards and a fire there would mean a terrible loss.

Six stream were played on the fire from all sides shortly after the time of the arival of the fire department until about 4 o'clock this morning In the portion of the foundry building immediately surrounding the joint office of the two companies and in the upper stories of the automobile garage where the conflagration raged worst. The fine machinery was thoroughly saturated with oil and it was impossible to extinguish the fire which arose from it. Gasoline in a tank on the first floor of the garage exploded and added its destructivenes to the effect. Flames extended a hundred feet in the air and the whole sky was ablaze.

This morning only a skeleton of the former automobile garage stands. The portion of the foundry building which surrounded the office is a mass of wreckage, and pieces of machinery are strewn over the floor. In the lower part of the foundry most of the machinery was saved and all that is burned there is a portion of the wood work. At the back of the two buildings much damage was wrought, but the worst was confined to the center and front.

Most of the insurance of the two buildings and contents was carried by companies represented by the Charleroi Real Estate Agency, J. A. Hepler and Mr. Walleger of Pittsburg who is also a personal loser, having been a stockholder. As near as can be estimated 75 or 80 per cent of the entire loss will be covered by insurance.

The officers of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company are: President J. F. Donaghy; vice president, Charles L. Van Voorhis; secretary-treasurer, R. M. Smith. Of the Charleroi Automobile company R. M. Smith is vice president, secretary, and general manager and J. F. Donaghy is the treasurer.

In all probability the foundry and machine plant will be rebuilt. A part of it not greatly damaged will likely be started next week. Whether or not the automobile garage will be reconstructed is a future consideration.

At the foundry, when it is running full capacity 60 men are employed, but within the past few weeks only 20 men have been at work. It was an important industry, and its loss will be greatly deplored.

CHARLEROI TEAM BEATS WASHINGTON

The Washington Collegian basketball team came to Charleroi last night and met defeat at the intrumentality of the local five on the rink floor. Hughes, a former Charleroi boy, played a strong game for Washington. The score:

Charleroi—23		Washington—17
Keifer, Hudspith	F	Hughes
Dietz	G	Gray
Goaziou	C	Hudson
Lhoest	G	McClure
Newton, Myers	G	Bescher

Field goals—Kiefer 3, Dietz 3, Goaziou, Lhoest. Hughes 2, Gray 3, Hudson 2, McClure. Goals from fouls—Newton 2, Myers, Hughes. Referee—Mangan.

Auction Sale

On Wednesday afternoon, December 21, there will be an auction sale of furniture and household articles on the premises of the Teaer home on Crest avenue. Sale commences at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

BULLET REMOVED FROM MAN'S NECK

Luther Bowman of Monongahela who was shot by his wife this week, was operated upon by Drs. Murphy, Billick and Wall yesterday. The operation was reported as being successful and the bullet was removed from the back of the neck.

Dancing School Tuesday Night

Prof. Oatman will teach the Skibo and Varsovienne Waltz Tuesday night. Beginners class at 7:30. Social dance 9 to 12. 108t4

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POLICE GET DEAD HEADS

Arrest Twelve the Sum Total of Whose Riches is Fifteen Cents

Tranquility does not reign in police department circles at all times This does not mean exactly that the police department is not busy. But the work has been merely that of gathering Weary Willies into the fold. During the past three days 12 arrests were made, every mother's son being a traveling man, a track walking artist, if you please. They were haled before the burgess and found guilty of being vagabonds and fined. Not one paid his fine. A search revealed the fact that the sum total of all their monetary belongings was 15 cents, and each was given the order to accelerate his locomotion machinery in getting away from the borough.

ORDINANCE CONSIDERED

Council Takes up Eight Street for Definite Action

OBJECTIONS MAY BE HEARD

Council last night at a regular adjourned meeting passed first reading an ordinance presented by the Macbeth Evans Glass company, upon request, vacating that portion of Eighth street leading from the rilroad to the river. The street is to be occupied by the Macbeth-Evans company for the construction of a big addition to their present plant.

The street is to cost the glass company $1,750 and they give the borough a two years' option on ground on their premises at the northern end of the factory to purchase and put through a street if thought necessary.

After the ordinance passed first reading it was referred to the ordinance committee and will be printed and posted. January 2 has been set as the time for the hearing of objections of the final consideration of the ordinance.

Anderson-Harper

Mrs. Mary Harper of Monongahela and Joseph Anderson of Armstrong were married quietly Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Rev. J. T. Hackett of Fifth street. The couple will live in Monongahela.

Watch for Him

Adolph will have his Santa Claus on the job on Monday at 3:30. He will be there all next week. The children want to watch for him as he will distribute one thousand pounds of candy. 111t1

Neighbor Beats Out Charleroi by Over 2,000

CENSUS DATA ANNOUNCED

Monongahela Not as Large as Either Charleroi or Monesssen

In point of population among the towns of the upper Monongahela valley Charleroi must yield the palm to Monessen. Yesterday Census Director Durand announced the population of Monessen, which is 11,775. This gives the steel town across the river a lead over Charleroi of 2,160. As previously announced, the population of Charleroi by the last census is 9,615.

With the announcement of the population of Monessen was that of Monongahela, which is 7,598, or 2,027 below the population of Charleroi. The latter town is easily second in size in the county ranking next to the county seat. The population of Donora has not yet been annunced but a private census not long ago gave it a population of 8,000 or more. It is expected to rank next to Charleroi as third in size of all the county towns.

WASHINGTON MAKES EFFORT TO LAND AN IMPORTANT INDUSTRY

Secretary Dudderra of the Washington Board of Trade went to Pittsburg today to confer with representatives of a New England Steel product manufacturing concern with the view of having them locate there. These representatives say their concern has decided to move to the Pittsburg field. They were in Washington Thursday and spent the day with the secretary going over the local situation. The proposition as presented by them to the executive committee of the board has been all that it should be and the members of the committee say that the New Englanders seemed immensely pleased with the conditions at the county.

This is the third time that they have been in Washington and they have visited several other surrounding towns. All towns have been eliminated with the exception of Washington and a nearby town. It is expected that within a few days they will decide which town gets their plant.

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More Good Than Evil

Andrew Carnegie's latest benefaction, $10,000,000 for the furtherance of international peace, has again called down upon his head the criticisms of those who see but a menace to society in enormous individual wealth. Mr. Carnegie has been severely arraigned in spite of his great benefactions to humanity on the charge that his enormous wealth was only made possible by special priviliges which were granted by the government in the way of protective tariffs. Without these tariff duties, which enhanced the cost of iron and steel products to all consumers, the enormous profits in the manufacturer of iron and steel could not have been attained. Without this protection Mr. Carnegie, instead of being in the public eye as a world-wide benefactor, would no doubt be at the present time a well-to-do proprietor of an individual steel plant on modest lines, realizing by thrift and good management from four or six per cent on his investment. He would be employing a few hundred men, and his mill would be idle a part of the time when European manufacturers saw fit to cut prices or enter into a combination to break down the American competition.

Granted that the protective tariff enabled the iron and steelmanufacturers to make enormous profits the vital question is, has the great impetus in the manufacture of a commodity, with a corresponding increase in its various ramifications among other industries, benefitted or injured humanity? Has our country progressed or deteriorated under the system? Has education been negected, social institution debased, or the progress of civilization stayed? On the contrary just the reverse has happened. Our county has never progressed so rapidly. Labor was never better paid. Education is at a higher standard and more universal. The cause of humanity and religion has been advanced in proportions never before equaled and oppressed humanity from all quarters of the globe was found an asylum in our country.

Andrew Carnegie is credited with giving away $179,500,000 in benefactions. These bequests have gone to establish libraries, endow schools and colleges, advance science and art, and to preserve the peace of the country. It may be a false economy that permits a single individual to accumulate so much wealth, but the question now at issue is whether or not the good the system has promoted does not over-balance the evil? The answer is obvious.

Stands the Test

Charleroi has reason to be proud of its Volunteer Fire Department. Twice within a week the department has been called upon to demonstrate its efficiency where its energy was taxed to its utmost and each time has rendered most efficient service. At the fire last night the department stood a most severe test, and showed that the experience of the previous fire had increased the knowledge and efficiency of the members. A better state of discipline was maintained and the company was enabled to work together in unity and to obey orders more quickly and intelligentally. This experience has made veterans of the members, whose personnel is of the highest order.

With such a department Charleroi is well protected. That the various fires occur at intervals is no fault of the department. Its business is to extinguish the flames when called upon to do so and to protect other property from destruction. This the department has been able to do most efficiently. The service of the members is donated for the benefit of the public, which should show its appreciation whenever it is possible. The local department has stood the test, and is ready for every emergency to which it may be called upon to meet.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The mother-in-law furd of humor has apparently run short.

Secret Service men get their reward in complimentary notices when they capture real live criminals.

A more enjoyable thing than a blizzard would be a baseball double header on the Fourth of July, to most people's thinking.

A big lot of the world's trouble cauld be obviated by many people not getting married.

With Christmas only a week ahead it's no longer useless to exhort the people to "shop early."

First Flatdweller to neighbor across the hall—"Say, I'd like to make a bargain with you."

EIGHTY YEARS OLD YET STILL IS VERY SPRY

Bearing the record of being the oldest living veteran of the old Pittsburg fire department, Gilbert Uptegraft, as spry as the average man of half his age would be, attained his 80th birthday today. Mr. Uptegraft celebrated the occasion by going to Pittsburg to see some of his old time friends. Mr Uptegraft helped organize the Good Intent Volunteer Fire department in Pittsburg in 1845, and continued in service for many years after a paid department was installed. He then went on the railroad, and worked on the Monongahela division when it was being built. Mr Uptegraft is on the railroad pension list of the P. R. R. and is now Charleroi's truant officer, having served for three years.

ARCHDEACON COLE WILL SPEAK HERE

Archdeacon Cole of the diocese of Pittsburg will speak at St. Mary's Episcopal church Sunday morning at 11. The archdeacon is one of the great authorities on the subject of missons and missionary work. He is a very pleasing speaker and all who hear him will be amply prepaid for attending service. He has spoken at St. Mary's on several other occasions, but never directly upon the subjert of his great life work mission.

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Mrs. Fred Lobelintz, of Titusville, Pa., writes that her four year old son was permanently cured of chronic bedwetting with 3 bottler of Thompson's Barosma.

Orson Hopkins of Townville, Pa., was refused life insurance because of kidney complaint and told that he would not live many months. Five bottles cured him, as it has cured thousands before him and thousands since.

After suffering the terrible agony of rheumatism for 10 years, being compelled to use crutches, J. N. Dunn, Troy Center, Pa., after all hope had left him and he had no faith in any remedy, took 6 bottles of Thompson's Barosma, threw way his crutches and went to work for the first time in 10 years.

These statements are absolutely true and the Thompson Medical Co., Titusvile, Pa. will prove it. Then why should anyone suffer in the face of such facts? How can they suffer when W. F. Hennings guarantee to refund the money if a cure is not effected. Thompsons Barosma, 50 cents and $1.00 a bottle.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Baptist

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching service at 11 Evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitaion is extended to the public to attend these services. Rev. C. Joshua, pastor.

Methodist

Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship at 10:45. Sermon subject, "Digging Ditches." Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:30. Public worship at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Gambling." This is the third sermon on "The Sins of Society." Everybody welcome. All pews free. Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor.

First Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:45. Services at 11 and 7:30. "The Way of the Cross," will be rendered by the choir and people at the evening service. Jr. C. E. at 2:15. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Leader, J. K. Brumbaugh. All are welcome to these services. Rev. J. T. Hacket, minister.

Episcopal

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer, litany and address at 11. Subject, "Missons and the Missionary Work." The address will be given by the venerable archdeacon of the diocese of Pittsburg, Rev. L.S Cole. Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially welcome. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

Christ Lutheran

Corner Sixth street and Washington avenue. Sunday school at 9:45. Divine worship at 11, and 7:30 with sermon by the pastor. Luther League at 6:30. A cordial welcome to come and worship with us. Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor.

MONONGAHELA GIRL WHO SHOT MAN IS POPULAR MISS NOW

In an article concerning Miss Iva Bush the young Monongahela telegraph operator of the Pennsylvania Railroad who recently shot P. R. R. Detective H. F Smith, as the results of trouble between the two, the Monongahela Republican says the following:

"Since the shooting it is understood that the girl has received congratulatory letters from all over the country, several of which were very flattering in their construction. One letter, it is said, was from a young man in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, in the Pittsburg offices, congratulating her and offering a proposal of marriage. He gave his discription which was that of a tall dashing blonde, considered by his friends as strikingly handsome. He was a college graduate and told how the girl could communicate with him through the college. This letter it is understood was not answered."

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The third offer takes 10 lbs of Butterine, 5 lbs of 25c Coffee and 1 lb of 60c Tea all for $3.50, or a saving of 85 cents.

A fourth offer includes the 10 lbs of Butterine and 3 lbs of 40c Tea at $3.00, or a saving of 50 c. Take your choice of Ceylon, English Breakfast, Assam, Olong, Japan or Young Hyson teas.

These values are guaranteed and are certain to please you. Send cash for a trial order to McCann and Co., Pittsburg, Pa. They pay express charges to Charleroi and vicinity.

ORDINANCE NO.

An ordinance vacating a portion of eight street in the borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, said portion being herein particularly described.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section I.

That from and after the passage of this ordinance, all that portion of the street or way known as Eight street in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a point on a line North 52o 42' East, which point is distant One Hundred (100) Feet from the East side of the right-of-way of the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railway Company, now the Monongahela Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad and extending to the Eastern terminus of said street at or near the low water line of the Monongahela River, Shall be and become forever vacated.

Section II.

The Council Chamber of the Borough of Charleroi at seven o'clock P. M. Monday, January 2, 1911, is hereby designated as a time and place where objections to the above vacation shall be heard and due notice thereof by ten (10) hand bills posted along the line of the portion of said Eight Street to be vacated shall be given

Section III.

Upon the final enactment of this ordinance and the approval therof by the Burgess of this Borough, the proper officers and agents of the said Borough shall close that portion of said Eight Street above described, whereupon the same shall be and remain forever closed and vacated as a public street and shall revert to the abutting owners thereof according to law.

Subject. However, to the right of the officers, agents and servants of the Borough of Charleroi and its successors to enter into, upon and under said street in a proper and reasonable manner at all times hereafter for the purpose of operating, maintaining and repairing the sewer or sewers at present being in and under the portion of said street hereby vacated.

Section IV.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this day of January, 1911.

ATTEST: ..... President of Council.
..... Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this..... day of January, 1911.

ATTEST: ..... Burgess.
..... Clerk.

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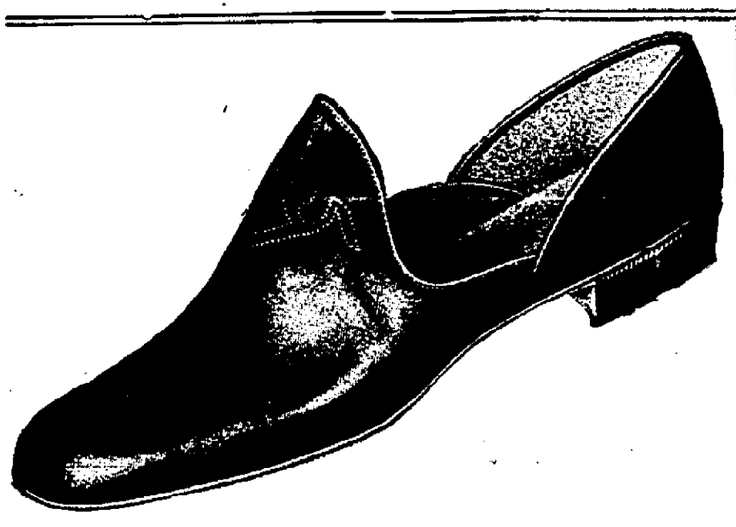

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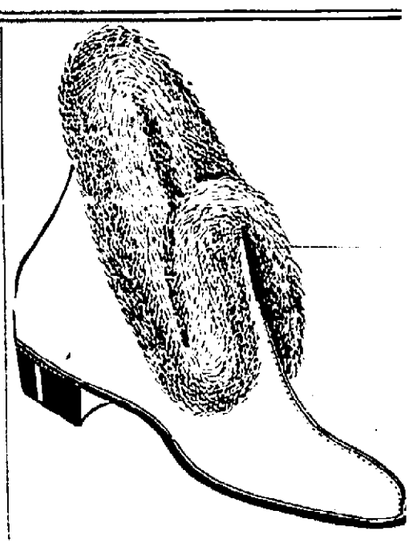

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An unequaled holiday gift at prices that anyone can afford. Fur lined, all colors and all sizes for women and misses, values 3.50 to 1.50, sale prices 1.69, 1.24, 98c and 69c.

Common Sense Shoes

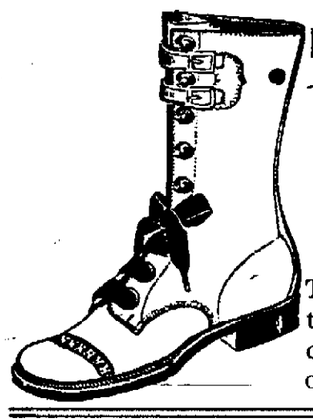
for ladies in patent colt, gun metal or tan, button or blucher. Kid and cloth tops, all sizes, $3 values. specially priced for this sale at 1.98.

Boys' and Girls' Shoes

In patent colt, gunmetal, button or blucher, all sizes up to 11. Values $1.50 and 1.75, sale price 98c.

Ladies' Dress Shoes

Satin, velvet, cravenette and suede top shoes, short vamp, high heels, very dressy, usual price range $6 to $4, for this sale we say $3.45, 2.95 and 2.45.



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Men's Dress Shoes

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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

A tragic photoplay at the Palace Theatre his week was one dealing with Russian Nihilism. A pretty peasant girl looking after her flocks in the field is encountered by the son of the nobleman on whose estates the girl lives. It was a case of love at first sight and the young man meets the fair young shepherdess in the fields, and the two confess their love. The girl's father goes to the nobleman to request some favor, which is refused and the old man is scourged by the attendant Cossacks from the premises. He curses the nobleman, who writes an edict, evicting the peasant and his daughter from his estate. Driven from their home the two finally join a Nihilisic group in the city where the girl is chosen to kill the nobleman who evicted her and her father. Disguised, she gains entrance to the mansion of the nobleman, and when she is about to shoot him unawares her lover appears and saves his father but repudiates his sweetheart, whom he permits to escape. Returning to the Nihilist secret headquarters, the girl writes the words, "I have failed" on the door and shoots herself. A strong western photoplay was also a feature.

The Coyle—Charleroi

Strong in conception, dramatic in execution and vitally interesting throughout is "The Wolf," which will be seen at the Coyle Theatre next Wednesday, December 21. Eugene Walter has written the play in robust style. It is a story of the wonderful Hudson Bay country and of the primal, eternal struggle between men for the possesion of a waman. Dark passion and pure sentiment are set in opposition, but there is nothing hackneyed. The men are not of the familiar stage type, nor are the scenes of a mechanical order. Mr. Walter tells an excellent story.

He is the author of the play "Paid in Full," which had such a big run last seasor, and was produced at the Nixon Theatre in Pittsburg.

The father of Hidla McTavish is a Scot, whose narrowness of mind drives his wife into the world; the child, Hilda, being left behind. When McDonald, a handsome young engineer, appears, he flatters the simple girl and engages old McTavish in a plot to lure Hilda the way her mother had gone. There crops up Jules Beubien, a French Canadian with a streak of Ojibway from his mother. McDonald has left Jules' sister whom he deceived. Jules recognizes him and bides his time. Batiste, his loyal retainer, swears that unless Jules kills McDonald he will.

Jules overhears the plotting of McTavish and McDonald in reference to the innocent Hilda. Jules of course, loves Hilda. The crisis comes. The girl spurns the brutal grasp of the engineer. McTavish enraged, declares he will crush her life out with his bare hands. The French Canadian intervenes, striking McDonald with his fists. The engineer attempts to draw his revolver, but Batiste has him covered with a shotgun in the cabin window.

Immoral as he is, McDonald is fearless and persistent. He takes to the path and comes upon Jules. He fires at him but his shot does not go home. Then the two engage in the most realistic and fiercest hand to hand duel ever seen on any stage. Finally one is seen to drop lifeless from a stab wound. The victor lights a match and the glowing face of Jules is seen by the audience.

New Duquesne—Pittsburg.

That brilliantly spectacular and romantic play, "If I Were King," in which E.H Sothern scored such a hit in the dasning and rollicking role of Francis Villon, the vagabond poet of old-time France, is to be the picturesque offering at the Duquesne Theatre next week, where the Harry Davis Stock company players will present it for the first time in stock and at these low price The crowded stage pictures of the four acts of "If I Were King" depict with vivid realism the turbulent Paris of Louis the Eleventh at the time when the Burgundian leaguers were encamped about the walls of that French capital of the Middle Ages The war like atmosphere of the age is reproduced in its most thrilling features. Everything is dramatically exciting romantically appealing and fantastically charming. Albert Morrison will have Sothern's role of Vilon, Mary Hall will have Cissie Loftus' part of Katherine and Alice Riker will be Huguette, the role which Margaret Illington, later Mrs. Daniel Frohman played in the original Sothern production. Dennis Harris will be Louis the Eleventh.

The Grand—Pittsburg

The Grand's vaudeville show for the week beginning next Monday afternoon December 19, presents an aggregation of talent famous the world over. The public will probably be interested most in the announcement of the engagement of McIntyre and Heath. These names have become a household term and indissoubly linked with them is the title of their unparalled comic success, "The Georgia Minstrels."

The numerous other attractions which Manager Davis has provided for next week include the first appearance here of the Four Uessems. The Uessems are head to head and hand to hand equilibrists and they have conceived and executed certain feats which seem to have passed beyond the ultimate of physical skill.

The three Royal Colibris are Liliputians whose comic sketch entitled "The Baby the Nurse and the Corporal," will afford genuine amusement.

Carl Randall known as "the American Laddie Cliff," is another new comer. He is a young man with amazing agility as a dancer and a quaint way of "putting over" characteristic songs.

The Nixon—Pittsburg

"Three Twins," Jos. M. Gaites' enormously successful musical comedy, that will be the attraction at the Nixon Theatre next week with matinees Wednesday and Saturday, is full of interesting dramatic history. Mrs. R. Pachee's famous farce comedy, "Incog," of which the music play is an adaptation, was originally produced at the Bijou Theatre, New York City, February 22, 1892, with Mr. Charles Dickson, the adaptor, in the star role. Mr. Dickson was supported by a cast composed of the following actors now prominent in the theatrical world: Max Freeman, Harry Davenport, Earl Brown, Louis Mann, Robert Edeson Ellen Berg, Lilian Burkhardt, Nellie Buckley, Clara Lipman and Alice Sheppard. The play had a phenomenal run of two years in one theatre before it was taken off.

There are several bits of life romance connected with "Incog" among them being the original of the famous old saying, "Its to laugh" On the opening performance Louis Mann's dear little mother sat in the first row and when after the final curtain, Charles Dickson asked her opinion of the play she replied, in her quaint German way "Ach, it is to laugh," and since then every German comedian on the stage has at one time or another used this sentence in his work.

"Three Twins" is filled with many striking novelties, prominent among them being "The Merry-Go Round," "The Seven Ages of Cuddlings," "The Crying Grass Widow," "The Hypnotic Kiss," the awe-inspiring "Yama Yama Man," and "The Mysterious Face," the latter a genuine sensation.

Mr. Gaites is sending the original New York company of 80 in which includes Clifton Crawford, Mayme Gehrue, Della Nivan, Daisy Leon, Elsie Mynne, Jos. Allen, Hugh Fay, Ralph Locke, Russell and George Herbert and the world-famed "Yama Yama Girls."

The Alvin—Pittsburg

An elaborate production of Balfe's famous and ever popular opera "The Bohemian Girl" will be presented at the Alvin the week of December 19, matinee Wednesday and Saturday. "The Bohemian Girl" has never failed to attract crowded houses. The reason of this is owing to Balfe's delightful score, the novelty of the story and the charm of the lyrics. In the coming revival of the opera that city nearly 150 people will be employed. When the Aborn Opera company gave "The Bohemian Girl" as one of a repertoire last winter it proved the most popular of the several offerings. One writer lately said that "The Bohemian Girl" is "The Uncle Tom's Cabin of Grand Opera, from a popular standpoint and for this reason Messrs Aborn have made it the basis of the most collossal spectacular production of the age, retaining all its melodious gems which include, "Through the Valleys and The Hills," "I Dream't I Dwelt in Marble Halls," "The Heart Bowed Down," "The Fair Land of Poland," "When Other Lips and Other Hearts" "Tis Sad to Leave the Fatherland" "Lady Moor," "Bliss Forever Past," etc. Besides the full grand opera company which includes soloists full grand chorus and dazzling corps de ballet, acrobats, a cavlacade of horses, monkeys, geese, chickens, pigs, there are bands of real gypsies, a troupe of whirlwild acrobats, etc. It is said that Edward P. Temple the original erstwhile wizard stage director of the New York Hippodrome who had full charge of the staging of this opera has outrivaled his best successes on the stage of the Hippodrome.

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Something nice for the men: Suspenders, Hose Supporters and Arm Bands in matched sets put up in pretty gift boxes. Murdock and McCarty—151 McKean avenue. 110t8

Carroll Gaut is due to arrive home from State College today to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gaut.

Miss Winifred McCleary of Claysville, a former teacher in the Charleroi schools, has returned home from a visit in Charleroi as the guest of Mrs. C. O. Frye and Miss Francis Braden.

Dinner Sets, fancy china and toilet sets. Double stamps till Xmas. Barger's, 415 Fallowfield avenue. 107t10

A new mail wagon has been provided for conveying the mail from the railroad station to the postoffice by the Pennsylvania railroad.

Howard Hughes and J. Kirtlinger of Washington were guests this morning of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wingett of Washington avenue.

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S. M. Jones of Pittsburg, district manager of the Domestic Sewing Machine company, was in Charleroi yesterday to see Frank Riva, the local manager, preparatory to the opening of the new office here in the new building erected by Mr. Riva at 522 Fallowfield avenue.

Be sure and see Santa at Adolph's next week. One thousand pounds of candy will be given away. 111t1

Roy Carson, a student at Washington and Jefferson College, is home for a visit with relations.

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Miss Elizabeth Wyatt will leave shortly for Philadelphia where she will visit before attending the meeting of the State Educational Association at Harrisburg the week of December 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dague of near Washington after a few days, visit in Burgess and Mrs. George W. Risbeck of Washington avenue, returned home today.

Mrs. M. T. Crowley of McKean avenue is spending a few days at Brownsville, with her mother, Mrs. Ella Chaffant.

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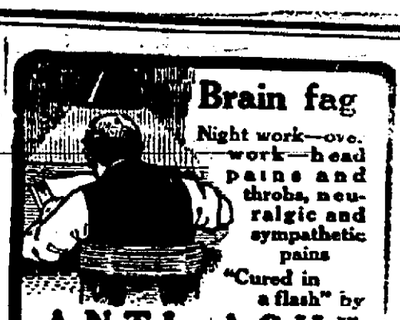

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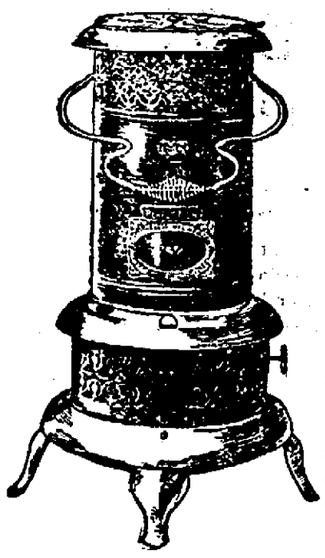

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OPINION IS THAT POPLAR TREES MUST BE REMOVED

Citizens Talk Over Matter Before Council

WILL PREPARE ORDINANCE

Committee Instructed to Present One to Council in the Near Future

A good representation of citizens of Charleroi was present last night at the citizens' meeting in the borough building to consider the tree question in Charleroi, and the matter was discussed by them and by members of council at some length. The concensus of opinion was that the Carolina poplars which have been worknig havoc to sewers in the town, would have to go, and the ordinance committee of council was instructed to draw up an ordinance to be presented as soon as possible.

The idea seemed to prevail that for the present the Carolina poplars be allowed to stand, and that the trees be planted by property owners if they so wished At the expiration of two years of a certain time to be decided upon later the poplars will be cut down.

Borough Clerk Ira L. Nickeson was instructed to write to the State Forestry department to ascertain which are he best kind of trees for shade purposes for this section.

DISTRICT ORGANIZER SAYS HE IS POSITIVE FEEHAN IS ELECTED

George Gouzzie, a district organizer, in an intierview yesterday said he has positive information to the effect that President Francis Feehan of District No. 5, U. M. W. of A., has been re-elected by a majority of at least 4,600 as stated Thursday in the Mail' and that White has won over President Lewis by 25,000 or 30,000 majority. Mr Geuzzie accounts for White's election by the big lead the Illnois miners gave him.

WASHINGTON AVENUE MAN TAKES PRIZE

Tbree weeks ago, J. A. Haube, the florist, offered a large fern and brass fern dish to the person who would grow the best Chinese lily by December 15. The prize was awarded to John W. Cornell of 334 Washington avenue. Mr. Cornell has a reputation for growing this variety of lily. He won a prize several years ago offered by J. W. Berryman and Son for the best plant grown from bulbs given out by them.

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Donora Improvement Company Has Successful Business Year

Fifty per cent of a dividend has been declared by the Donora Improvement company which owns considerable property in Donora borough. The capital stock is $5,000. The Donora Improvement has considerable to do with the improvement of Marianna. There are fifteen stockholders in the company, all of whom are well known in business circles. W. W. Lewis is president; O. G. Frazier secretary-treasurer, and the other members of the directory board are A. J. Vernon, J. Add Sprowls, W. J. Brown, F. W. Curry and D. M. Wise.

BAD WEEK FOR TOWN

Charleroi Particularly Unfortunate Past Few Days

FIRES MOST DISASTROUS

Fire wrought nearly $65,000 damage this week in Charleroi, within the past five days, two of the most disastrous blazes in its history occurring. That of this morning, when the Charleroi Automobile garage and a part of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company building were destroyed, while the fire of Tuesday when the Odbert building on Fallowfield avenue was nearly burned, was about the third most destructive fire in the history of the town. Had it not been for the brave work of the Charleroi Volunteer Fire Department, for which too much praise, cannot be said, both fires might have been much more destructive than they were. The close proximity of the Walton Lumber company to the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company made the conflagration this morning particular dangerous, and the fire Tuesday was dangerous because of the situation of the building in the main part of town.

It was only by the hardest kind of fire fighting that the firemen were able to control the flames at all this morning. Six lines of hose were strung, the Macbeth Evans Glass company supplying one strand. As on the occasion of the previous fire this week coffee was served by kind hearted persons to the firemen, for which they are particularly grateful.

The second most destructive fire in the history of the town was the Hussy-Binns fire of four years ago damage of about $25 000 or $30,000 was wrought.

L. R. Kinder left last evening for Tampa, Fla.

MORNING CONFLAGRATION DESTROYS $50,000 WORTH OF VALUABLE PROPERTY

Charleroi Foundry and Machine Company and Charleroi Automobile Company Are the Heavy Sufferers

FIVE AUTOMOBILES ENTIRELY CONSUMED

Charleroi was visited by the most disastrous and destructive fire in its history early this morning when the Charleroi Automobile company's building containing thousands of dollars worth of valuable machinery and automobiles and the larger part of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company's plant were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $50,000 or more, with the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company the biggest loser. Five automobiles were destroyed in the flames, two Humpobiles, a Jackson, a Buick and a White Steamer. The fire started from an unknown origion.

The damage to the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company will probably reach $35,000, partly covered by insurance, and to the Automobile company the damage will be possible $15,000 or $20,000. The second floor of the autombile garage was equipped with $10,000 worth of fine machinery which was entirely destroyed and on the third floor were patterns belonging to the foundry, valued at $7,000 or $8,000 which were destroyed.

The automobiles destroyed were the Hupmobiles belonging to S. W. Sharpnack of Charleroi and John Wherry of Scenery Hill, the Buick of George Ryland, of Charleroi, a demonstrator Jackson car, and a White Steamer belonging to the automobile company. Three cars were taken from the burning building, C. W. Weltner's, Joseph Roley's and A. P Stewarts' and two standing at the upper end of the garage, the furniture track of James Frew and the Pope-Hartford of D. M. McCloskey were not much damaged. A motor cycle belonging to William Walters was badly damaged.

The flames were discovered eating their way into the center of the two plants at about 12:15 o'clock by a night foreman at the Mcbeth-Evans glass plant. He endeavored to turn in an alarm but for some unaccountable reason was unable to make it work and after some minutes, during which time the flames gained a greater ascendancy, managed to turn in an alarm from another point The firemen were prompt in arriving on the scene, and Chief J. M. Fleming took chrage. By this time, however, there was no hope of saving the Automobile company's building and a part of the foundry structure, so attention was directed largely to keeping the flames from spreading.

The Walton Lumber company adjoining the foundry had thousands of dollars worth of lumber stored in its yards and a fire there would mean a terrible loss.

Six stream were played on the fire from all sides shortly after the time of the arrival of the fire department until about 4 o'clock this morning In the portion of the foundry building immediately surrounding the joint office of the two companies and in the upper stories of the automobile garage where the conflagration raged worst. The fine machinery was thoroughly saturated with oil and it was impossible to extinguish the fire which arose from it. Gasoline in a tank on the first floor of the garage exploded and added its destructivenes to the effect. Flames extended a hundred feet in the air and the whole sky was ablaze.

This morning only a skeleton of the former automobile garage stands. The portion of the foundry building which surrounded the office is a mass of wreckage, and pieces of machinery are strewn over the floor. In the lower part of the foundry most of the machinery was saved and all that is burned there is a portion of the wood work. At the back of the two buildings much damage was wrought, but the worst was confined to the center and front.

Most of the insurance of the two buildings and contents was carried by companies represented by the Charleroi Real Estate Agency, J. A. Hepler and Mr. Walleger of Pittsburg who is also a personal loser, having been a stockholder. As near as can be estimated 75 or 80 per cent of the entire loss will be covered by insurance.

The officers of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company are: President J. F. Donagby; vice president, Charles L. Van Voorhis; secretary-treasurer, R. M. Smith. Of the Charleroi Automobile company R. M. Smith is vice president, secretary, and general manager and J. F. Donagby is the treasurer.

In all probability the foundry and machine plant will be rebuilt. A part of it not greatly damaged will likely be started next week. Whether or not the automobile garage will be reconstructed is a future consideration.

At the foundry, when it is running full capacity 60 men are employed, but within the past few weeks only 20 men have been at work. It was an important industry, and its loss will be greatly deplored.

CHARLEROI TEAM BEATS WASHINGTON

The Washington Collegian basketball team came to Charleroi last night and met defeat at the intrumentality of the local five on the rink floor. Hughes, a former Charleroi boy, played a strong game for Washington. The score:

Charleroi—23		Washington—17
Keifer, Hudspith	F.	Hughes
Dietz	G.	Gray
Goaziou	C.	Hudson
Lhoest	G.	McClure
Newton, Myers	G.	Bescher

Field goals—Kiefer 3, Dietz 3, Goaziou, Lhoest. Hughes 2, Gray 3, Hudson 2, McClure. Goals from fouls—Newton 2, Myers, Hughes. Referee—Mangan.

Auction Sale

On Wednesday afternoon, December 21, there will be an auction sale of furniture and household articles on the premises of the Teter home on Crest avenue. Sale commences at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

BULLET REMOVED FROM MAN'S NECK

Luther Bowman of Monongahela who was shot by his wife this week, was operated upon by Drs. Murphy, Billick and Wall yesterday. The operation was reported as being successful and the bullet was removed from the back of the neck.

Dancing School Tuesday Night

Prof. Oatman will teach the Skibo and Varsovienne Waltz Tuesday night. Beginners class at 7:30. Social dance 9 to 12. 108t4

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POLICE GET DEAD HEADS

Arrest Twelve the Sum Total of Whose Riches is Fifteen Cents

Tranquility does not reign in police department circles at all times This does not mean exactly that the police department is not busy. But the work has been merely that of gathering Weary Willies into the fold. During the past three days 12 arrests were made, every mother's son being a traveling man, a track walking artist, if you please. They were haled before the burgess and found guilty of being vagabonds and fined. Not one paid his fine. A search revealed the fact that the sum total of all their monetary belongings was 15 cents, and each was given the order to accelerate his locomotion machinery in getting away from the borough.

ORDINANCE CONSIDERED

Council Takes up Eight Street for Definite Action

OBJECTIONS MAY BE HEARD

Council last night at a regular adjourned meeting passed first reading an ordinance presented by the Macbeth Evans Glass company, upon request, vacating that portion of Eighth street leading from the rilroad to the river. The street is to be occupied by the Macbeth-Evans company for the construction of a big addition to their present plant.

The street is to cost the glass company $1,750 and they give the borough a two years' option on ground on their premises at the northern end of the factory to purchase and put through a street if thought necessary.

After the ordinance passed first reading it was referred to the ordinance committee and will be printed and posted. January 2 has been set as the time for the hearing of objections of the final consideration of the ordinance.

Anderson-Harper

Mrs. Mary Harper of Monongahela and Joseph Anderson of Armstrong were married quietly Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Rev. J. T. Hackett of Fifth street. The couple will live in Monongahela.

Watch for Him

Adolph will have his Santa Claus on the job on Monday at 3:30. He will be there all next week. The children want to watch for him as he will distribute one thousand pounds of candy. 111t1

Neighbor Beats Out Charleroi by Over 2,000

CENSUS DATA ANNOUNCED

Monongahela Not as Large as Either Charleroi or Monesssen

In point of population among the towns of the upper Monongahela valley Charleroi must yield the palm to Monessen. Yesterday Census Director Durand announced the population of Monessen, which is 11,775. This gives the steel town across the river a lead over Charleroi of 2,160. As previously announced, the population of Charleroi by the last census is 9,615.

With the announcement of the population of Monessen was that of Monongahela, which is 7,598, or 2,027 below the population of Charleroi. The latter town is easily second in size in the county ranking next to the county seat. The population of Donora has not yet been announced but a private census not long ago gave it a population of 8,000 or more. It is expected to rank next to Charleroi as third in size of all the county towns.

WASHINGTON MAKES EFFORT TO LAND AN IMPORTANT INDUSTRY

Secretary Dudderra of the Washington Board of Trade went to Pittsburg today to confer with representatives of a New England Steel product manufacturing concern with the view of having them locate there. These representatives say their concern has decided to move to the Pittsburg field. They were in Washington Thursday and spent the day with the secretary going over the local situation. The proposition as presented by them to the executive committee of the board has been all that it should be and the members of the committee say that the New Englanders seemed immensely pleased with the conditions at the county.

This is the third time that they have been in Washington and they have visited several other surrounding towns. All towns have been eliminated with the exception of Washington and a nearby town. It is expected that within a few days they will decide which town gets their plant.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors and L. O. O. M. who were so kind in our late bereavement.

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Thomas Williams,
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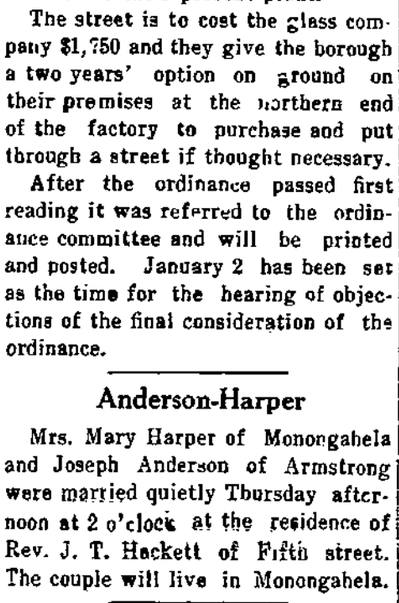

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More Good Than Evil

Andrew Carneige's latest benefaction, $10,000,000 for the furtherance of international peace, has again called down upon his head the criticisms of those who see but a menace to society in enormous individual wealth. Mr. Carnegie has been severely arraigned in spite of his great benefactions to humanity on the charge that his enormous wealth was only made possible by special privileges which were granted by the government in the way of protective tariffs. Without these tariff duties, which enhanced the cost of iron and steel products to all consumers, the enormous profits in the manufacturer of iron and steel could not have been attained. Without this protection Mr. Carnegie, instead of being in the public eye as a world-wide benefactor, would no doubt be at the present time a well-to-do proprietor of an individual steel plant on modest lines, realizing by thrift and good management from four or six per cent on his investment. He would be employing a few hundred men, and his mill would be idle a part of the time when European manufacturers saw fit to cut prices or enter into a combination to break down the American competition.

Granted that the protective tariff enabled the iron and steel manufacturers to make enormous profits the vital question is, has the great impetus in the manufacture of a commodity, with a corresponding increase in its various ramifications among other industries, benefitted or injured humanity? Has our country progressed or deteriorated under the system? Has education been negected, social institution debased, or the progress of civilization stayed? On the contrary just the reverse has happened. Our county has never progressed so rapidly. Labor was never better paid. Education is at a higher standard and more universal. The cause of humanity and religion has been advanced in proportions never before equaled and oppressed humanity from all quarters of the globe was found an asylum in our country.

Andrew Carnegie is credited with giving away $179,500,000 in benefactions. These bequests have gone to establish libraries, endow schools and colleges, advance science and art, and to preserve the peace of the country. It may be a false economy that permits a single individual to accumulate so much wealth, but the question now at issue is whether or not the good the system has promoted does not over-balance the evil? The answer is obvious.

Stands the Test

Charleroi has reason to be proud of its Volunteer Fire Department. Twice within a week the department has been called upon to demonstrate its efficiency where its energy was taxed to its utmost and each time has rendered most efficient service. At the fire last night the department stood a most severe test, and showed that the experience of the previous fire had increased the knowledge and efficiency of the members. A better state of discipline was maintained and the company was enabled to work together in unity and to obey orders more quickly and intelligentally. This experience has made veterans of the members, whose personnel is of the highest order.

With such a department Charleroi is well served. That [illegible] fires at [illegible] intervals is no fault of the department. Its business is to extinguish the flames when called upon to do so and to protect other property from destruction. This the department has been able to do most efficiently. The service of the members is donated for the benefit of the public, which should show its appreciation whenever it is possible. The local department has stood the test, and is ready for every emergency to which it may be called upon to meet.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The mother-in-law fund of humor has apparently run short.

Secret Service men get their reward in complimentary notices when they capture real live criminals.

A more enjoyable thing than a blizzard would be a baseball double header on the Fourth of July, to most people's thinking.

A big lot of the world's trouble could be obviated by many people not getting married.

With Christmas only a week ahead it's no longer useless to exhort the people to "shop early."

First Flatdweller to neighbor across the hall—"Say, I'd like to make a bargain with you."

EIGHTY YEARS OLD YET STILL IS VERY SPRY

Bearing the record of being the oldest living veteran of the old Pittsburg fire department, Gilbert Uptegraft, as spry as the average man of half his age would be, attained his 80th birthday today. Mr. Uptegraft celebrated the occasion by going to Pittsburg to see some of his old time friends. Mr Uptegraft helped organize the Good Intent Volunteer Fire department in Pittsburg in 1845, and continued in service for many years after a paid department was installed. He then went on the railroad, and worked on the Monongahela division when it was being built. Mr Uptegraft is on the railroad pension list of the P. R. R. and is now Charleroi's truant officer, having served for three years.

ARCHDEACON COLE WILL SPEAK HERE

Archdeacon Cole of the diocese of Pittsburg will speak at St Mary's Episcopal church Sunday morning at 11. The archdeacon is one of the great authorities on the subject of missions and missionary work. He is a very pleasing speaker and all who hear him will be amply prepaid for attending service. He has spoken at St. Mary's on several other occasions, but never directly upon the subject of his great life work mission.

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Mrs. Fred Lobelintz, of Titusville, Pa, writes that her four year old son was permanently cured of chronic bedwetting with 3 bottler of Thompson's Barosma

Orson Hopkins of Townville, Pa., was refused life insurance because of kidney complaint and told that he would not live many months. Five bottles cured him, as it has cured thousands before him and thousands since.

After suffering the terrible agony of rheumatism for 10 years, being compelled to use crutches, J. N. Dunn, Troy Center, Pa., after all hope had left him and he had no faith in any remedy, took 6 bottles of Thompson's Barosma, threw way his crutches and went to work for the first time in 10 years.

These statements are absolutely true and the Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa. will prove it. Then why should anyone suffer in the face of such facts? How can they suffer when W. F. Henninga guarantee to refund the money if a cure is not effected. Thompsons Barosma, 50 cents and $1.00 a bottle.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Baptist

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching service at 11 Evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitaion is extended to the public to attend these services. Rev. C. Joshua, pastor.

Methodist

Sunday School at 9.30. Public worship at 10:45. Sermon subject, "Digging Ditches." Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:30. Public worship at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Gambling." This is the third sermon on "The Sins of Society." Everybody welcome. All pews free. Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor.

First Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:45. Services at 11 and 7:30. "The Way of the Cross," will be rendered by the choir and people at the evening service. Jr. C. E. at 2:15. Sr. C. E at 6:45. Leader, J. K. Brumbaugh All are welcome to these services. Rev. J. T. Hacket, minister.

Episcopal

Corner Sixth and Lookout Fourth Sunday in Advent. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8 Sunday school and Bible classes at 9.45. Morning prayer, litany and address at 11 Subject, "Missons and the Missionary Work" The address will be given by the venerable archdeacon of the diocese of Pittsburg, Rev L S Cole. Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially welcome. Rev. Lucius W Shey, rector.

Christ Lutheran

Corner Sixth street and Washington avenue. Sunday school at 9:45 Divine worship at 11, and 7:30 with sermon by the pastor Luther League at 6:30. A cordial welcome to come and worship with us Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor.

MONONGAHELA GIRL WHO SHOT MAN IS POPULAR MISS NOW

In an article concerning Miss Iva Bush the young Monongahela telegraph operator of the Pennsylvania Railroad who recently shot P. R R. Detective H F Smith, as the results of trouble between the two, the Monongahela Republican says the following.

"Since the shooting it is understood that the girl has received congratulatory letters from all over the country, several of which were very flattering in their construction. One letter, it is said, was from a young man in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, in the Pittsburg offices, congratulating her and offering a proposal of marriage. He gave his discription which was that of a tall dashing blonde, considered by his friends as strikingly handsome. He was a college graduate and told how the girl could communicate with him through the college. This letter it is understood was not answered"

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The third offer takes 10 lbs of Butterine, 5 lbs of 25c Coffee and 1 lb of 60c Tea all for $3.50, or a saving of 85 cents.

A fourth offer includes the 10 lbs of Butterine and 3 lbs of 40c Tea at $3.00, or a saving of 50 c. Take your choice of Ceylon, English Breakfast, Assam, Olong, Japan or Young Hyson teas.

These values are guaranteed and are certain to please you. Send cash for a trial order to McCann and Co., Pittsburg, Pa. They pay express charges to Charleroi and vicinity.

ORDINANCE NO

An ordinance vacating a portion of eight street in the borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania said portion being herein particularly described.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same

Section I.

That from and after the passage of this ordinance, all that portion of the street or way known as Eight street in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a point on a line North 52° 42' East, which point is distant One Hundred (100) Feet from the East side of the right-of-way of the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railway Company now the Monongahela Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad and extending to the Eastern terminus of said street at or near the low water line of the Monongahela River, Shall be and become forever vacated.

Section II.

The Council Chamber of the borough of Charleroi at seven o'clock P M. Monday, January 2, 1911, is hereby designated as a time and place where objections to the above vacation shall be heard and due notice thereof by ten (10) hand bills posted along the line of the portion of said Eight Street to be vacated shall be given

Section III

Upon the final enactment of this ordinance and the approval thereof by the Burgess of this Borough, the proper officers and agents of the said Borough shall close that portion of said Eight Street above described, whereupon the same shall be and remain forever closed and vacated as a public street and shall revert to the abutting owners thereof according to law

Subject, However, to the right of the officers agents and servants of the Borough of Charleroi and its successors to enter into, upon and under said street in a proper and reasonable manner at all times hereafter for the purpose of operating, maintaining and repairing the sewer or sewers at present being in and under the portion of said street hereby vacated

Section IV

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are herby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this day of January, 1911.

ATTEST. ..... President of Council.

Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this ..... day of January, 1911

ATTEST. ..... Burgess.

Clerk

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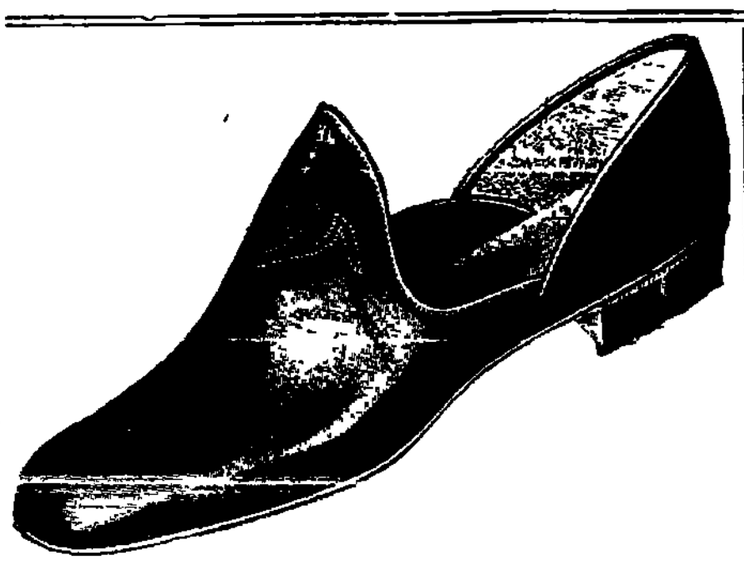

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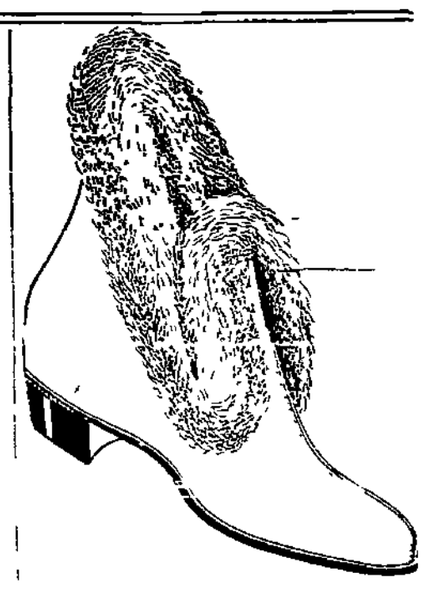

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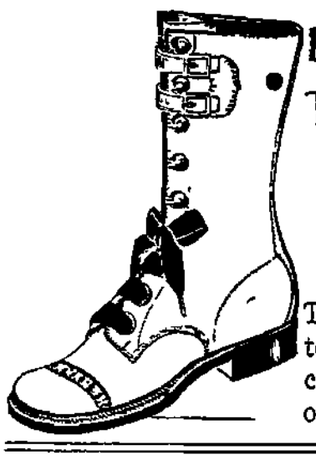

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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

A tragic photoplay at the Palace Theatre his week was one dealing with Russian Nihilism. A pretty peasant girl looking after her flocks in the field is encountered by the son of the nobleman on whose estates the girl lives. It was a case of love at first sight and the young man meets the fair young shepherdess in the fields, and the two confess their love The girl's father goes to the nobleman to request some favor, which is refused and the old man is scourged by the attendant Cossacks from the premises. He curses the nobleman, who writes an edict, evicting the peasant and his daughter from his estate. Driven from their home the two finally join a Nihilistic group in the city where the girl is chosen to kill the nobleman who evicted her and her father. Disguised, she gains entrance to the mansion of the nobleman, and when she is about to shoot him unawares her lover appears and saves his father but repudiates his sweetheart, whom he permits "to escape. Returning to the Nihilist secret headquarters, the girl writes the words, "I have failed" on the door and shoots herself. A strong western photoplay was also a feature.

The Coyle—Charleroi

Strong in conception, dramatic in execution and vitally interesting throughout is "The Wolf," which will be seen at the Coyle Theatre next Wednesday, December 21. Eugene Walter has written the play in robust style. It is a story of the wonderful Hudson Bay country and of the primal, eternal struggle between men for the possession of a woman. Dark passion and pure sentiment are set in opposition, but there is nothing hackneyed. The men are not of the familiar stage type, nor are the scenes of a mechanical order. Mr. Walter tells an excellent story.

He is the author of the play "Paid in Full," which had such a big run last season, and was produced at the Nixon Theatre in Pittsburg.

The father of Hilda McTavish is a Scot, whose narrowness of mind drives his wife into the world; the child, Hilda, being left behind. When McDonald, a handsome young engineer, appears, he flatters the simple girl and engages old McTavish in a plot to lure Hilda the way her mother had gone There crops up Jules Beubien, a French Canadian with a streak of Ojibway from his mother. McDonald has left Jules' sister whom he deceived. Jules recognizes him and bides his time. Batiste, his loyal retainer, swears that unless Jules kills McDonald he will

Jules overhears the plotting of McTavish and McDonald in reference to the innocent Hilda. Jules of course, loves Hilda. The crisis comes. The girl spurns the brutal grasp of the engineer. McTavish enraged, declares he will crush her life out with his bare hands. The French Canadian intervenes, striking McDonald with his fists. The engineer attempts to draw his revolver, but Batiste has him covered with a shotgun in the cabin window.

Immoral as he is, McDonald is fearless and persistent. He takes to the path and comes upon Jules. He fires at him but his shot does not go home. Then the two engage in the most realistic and fiercest hand to hand duel ever seen on any stage. Finally one is seen to drop lifeless from a stab wound The victor lights a match and the glowing face of Jules is seen by the audience.

New Duquesne—Pittsburg.

That brilliantly spectacular and romantic play, "If I Were King," in which E.H Sothern scored such a hit in the dashing and rollicking role of Francis Villon, the vagabond poet of old-time France, is to be the picturesque offering at the Duquesne Theatre next week, where the Harry Davis Stock company players will present it for the first time in stock and at these low price The crowded stage pictures of the four acts of "If I Were King" depict with vivid realism the turbulent Paris of Louis the Eleventh at the time when the Burgundian leaguers were encamped about the walls of that French capital of the Middle Ages The war like atmosphere of the age is reproduced in its most thrilling features. Everything is dramatically exciting romantically appealing and fantastically charming.— Albert Morrison will have Sothern's role of Vilon, Mary Hall will have Cissie Loftus' part of Katherine and Alice Riker will be Huguette, the role which Margaret Illington, later Mrs. Daniel Frohman played in the original Sothern production. Dennis Harris will be Louis the Eleventh.

The Grand—Pittsburg

The Grand's vaudeville show for the week begioning next Monday afternoon December 19, presents an aggregation of talent famous the world over. The public will probably be interested most in the announcement of the engagement of McIntyre and Heath. These names have become a household term and indissoubly linked with them is the title of their unparalled comic success, "The Georgia Minstrels."

The numerous other attractions which Manager Davis has provided for next week include the first appearance here of the Four Uessems. The Uessems are head to head and hand to hand equilibrists and they have conceived and executed certain feats which seem to have passed beyond the ultimate of physical skill.

The three Royal Colibris are Liliputians whose comic sketch entitled "The Baby the Nurse and the Corporal," will afford genuine amusement.

Carl Randall known as "the American Laddie Cliff," is another new comer. He is a young man with amazing agility as a dancer and a quaint way of "putting over" characteristic songs.

The Nixon—Pittsburg

"Three Twins," Jos. M. Gaites' enormously successful musical comedy, that will be the attraction at the Nixon Theatre next week with matinees Wednesday and Saturday, is full of interesting dramatic history. Mrs. R. Pachee's famous farce comedy, "Incog," of which the music play is an adaptation, was originally produced at the Bijou Theatre, New York City, February 22, 1892, with Mr. Charles Dickson, the adaptor, in the star role. Mr. Dickson was supported by a cast composed of the following actors now prominent in the theatrical world: Max Freeman, Harry Davenport, Earl Brown, Louis Mann, Robert Edeson Ellen Berg, Lilian Burkhardt, Nellie Buckley, Clara Lipman and Alice Sheppard. The play had a phenomenal run of two years in one theatre before it was taken off.

There are several bits of life romance connected with "Incog" among them being the original of the famous old saying, "Its to laugh" On the opening performance Louis Mann's dear little mother sat in the first row and when after the final curtain, Charles Dickson asked her opinion of the play she replied, in her quaint German way "Ach, it is to laugh," and since then every German comedian on the stage has at one time or another used this sentence in his work.

"Three Twins" is filled with many striking novelties, prominent among them being "The Merry-Go Round," "The Seven Ages of Cuddlings," "The Crying Grass Widow," "The Hypnotic Kiss," the awe-inspiring "Yama Yama Man," and "The Mysterious Face," the latter a genuine sensation.

Mr. Gaites is sending the original New York company of 80 in which includes Clifton Crawford, Mayme Gehrue, Della Nivan, Daisy Leon, Elsie Mynne, Jos. Allen, Hugh Fay, Ralph Locke, Russell and George Herbert and the world-famed "Yama Yama Girls."

The Alvin—Pittsburg

An elaborate production of Balfe's famous and ever popular opera "The Bohemian Girl" will be presented at the Alvin the week of December 19, matinee Wednesday and Saturday. "The Bohemian Girl" has never failed to attract crowded houses. The reason of this is owing to Balfe's delightful score, the novelty of the story and the charm of the lyrics. In the coming revival of the opera that city nearly 150 people will be employed. When the Aborn Opera company gave "The Bohemian Girl" as one of a repertoire last winter it proved the most popular of the several offerings. One writer lately said that "The Bohemian Girl" is "The Uncle Tom's Cabin of Grand Opera, from a popular standpoint and for this reason Messrs Aborn have made it the basis of the most collossal spectacular production of the age, retaining all its melodious gems which include, "Through the Valleys and The Hills," "I Dream't I Dwelt in Marble Halls," "The Heart Bowed Down," "The Fair Land of Poland," "When Other Lips and Other Hearts" "Tis Sad to Leave the Fatherland" "Lady Moor," "Bliss Forever Past," etc. Besides the full grand opera company which includes soloists full grand chorus and dazzling corps de ballet, acrobats, a cavlacade of horses, monkeys, geese, chickens, pigs, there are bands of real gypsies, a troupe of whirlwild acrobats, etc. It is said that Edward P. Temple the original erstwhile wizard stage director of the New York Hippodrome who had full charge of the staging of this opera, has outrivaled his best successes on the stage of the Hippodrome.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dague of near Washington after a few days, visit in Burgess and Mrs. George W. Risbeck of Washington avenue, returned home today.

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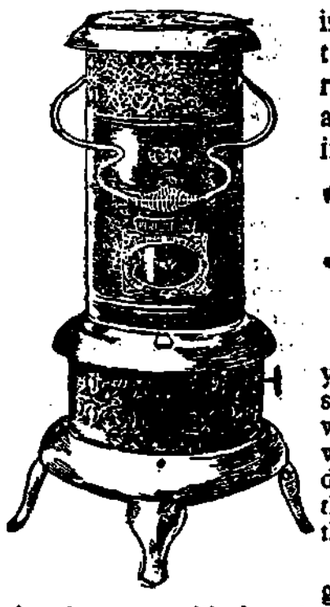

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